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Mr. John D. Goossen
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200 N. Third St.
Hannibal, MO 63401

PRMT SECTION

RE: Knapheide Mfg. Co., Closure Plan for Waste Paint Filters and
Overspray Paper Storage
Unit and the Brule Incinerator Unit
Facility Location: West Quincy, MO

Dear Mr. Goossen:

Enclosed is a legal notice that we request you publish in the next
available issue of the Courier-Post.

Please send the affidavit of publication and certification of
publication, along with the invoice for payment to the following:

Ms. Darlene Weeks
Missouri Department of Natural Resources
Hazardous Waste Program
P.O. Box 176
Jefferson City, MO 65102

Please be certain to reference the invoice is to the Hazardous Waste
Permits Section. If you have any questions, please feel free to
contact me at (314) 751-3176.

Sincerely,

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c: Bob Stewart, P.E., U.S. EPA, Region VII
Northeast Regional Office
Gerry Korb, The Knapheide Mfg. Co.



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DNR SEEKS PUBLIC COMMENT ON KNAPHEIDE MFG. CO. CLOSURE PLAN

The Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) has received a closure plan submitted by the Knapheide Manufacturing Co. (Knapheide) of West Quincy, MO. The closure plan describes the steps necessary to close the interim status storage and treatment unit located in Knapheide's West Quincy facility. The MDNR invites written comments regarding the closure plan until August 28, 1993.

Knapheide assembles custom truck body parts at its facility located in West Quincy, MO. The West Quincy facility operation includes the painting of assembled products. Waste paint filters and overspray paper generated by the painting operation are characteristically hazardous due to leachable chromium. The filters and overspray paper were handled and stored at the closure area in sealed 55-gallon metal containers. Between 1980 and September 25, 1989, the used absorbent material was disposed of in a small on-site Brule incinerator. Knapheide must close the waste paint filter and overspray paper storage unit in accordance with interim status regulations, 40 CFR 265 Subpart G. In addition the Brule incinerator must be similarly closed as a treatment unit for waste paint filters and overspray paper. These units are adjacent to each other and are located at the eastern edge of the facility.

The MDNR is seeking public comment on the Knapheide closure plan. The MDNR has made available a copy of the closure plan for public review at Palmyra Bicentennial Library, 212 South Main St., Palmyra, Missouri. The library hours are from 12:30 - 5:00 Monday - Friday, 10 - 11:30 Tuesday, and 10 - 2:30 Saturday. A copy has also been made available for public review during normal business hours (Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.) at the offices of the Hazardous Waste Program, located on the 13th floor of the Jefferson State Office Building in Jefferson City, Missouri.

Anyone with questions or comments should write to Mr. Steve Jaques, Missouri Department of Natural Resources, Hazardous Waste Program, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, Missouri, 65102.